

**United States Patent Application**  
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As a below named inventor I hereby declare that: my residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name; that

I verily believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or a joint inventor (if plural inventors are named below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**PROTECTIVE CASE**

The specification of which

- a. ☐ is attached hereto  
 b. ☒ was filed on 10/31/01 as application serial no. 10/001,652 and was amended on February 7, 2003 (if applicable) (in the case of a PCT-filed application) described and claimed in international no. filed and as amended on (if any), which I have reviewed and for which I solicit a United States patent.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, § 119/365 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on the basis of which priority is claimed:

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I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or patent agent(s) to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office and before competent International Authorities including the World Intellectual Property Organization, connected herewith: I appoint the following:

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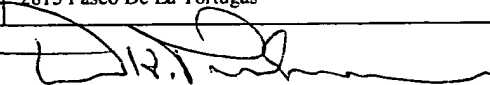
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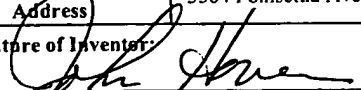
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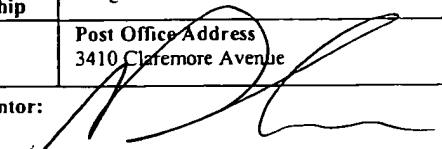
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(a) A patent by its very nature is affected with a public interest. The public interest is best served, and the most effective patent examination occurs when, at the time an application is being examined, the Office is aware of and evaluates the teachings of all information material to patentability. Each individual associated with the filing and prosecution of a patent application has a duty of candor and good faith in dealing with the Office, which includes a duty to disclose to the Office all information known to that individual to be material to patentability as defined in this section. The duty to disclose information exists with respect to each pending claim until the claim is canceled or withdrawn from consideration, or the application becomes abandoned. Information material to the patentability of a claim that is canceled or withdrawn from consideration need not be submitted if the information is not material to the patentability of any claim remaining under consideration in the application. There is no duty to submit information which is not material to the patentability of any existing claim. The duty to disclose all information known to be material to patentability is deemed to be satisfied if all information known to be material to patentability of any claim issued in a patent was cited by the Office or submitted to the Office in the manner prescribed by §§ 1.97(b)-(d) and 1.98. However, no patent will be granted on an application in connection with which fraud on the Office was practiced or attempted or the duty of disclosure was violated through bad faith or intentional misconduct. The Office encourages applicants to carefully examine:

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or

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(2) Each attorney or agent who prepares or prosecutes the application; and

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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**Applicant/Patent Owner: David H. Parker, John Hoven and Kevin DeightonApplication No./Patent No.: to be assigned Filed/Issue Date: November 21, 2003 (filed concurrently herewith)Entitled: PROTECTIVE CASEPelican Products, Inc., a California corporation

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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

November 21, 2003

Date

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Charles Berman, Esq.

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Patent Attorney, Reg. No. 29,249

Title

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WHEREAS, I, David H. Parker, residing at 3815 Paseo De La Tortugas, Torrance, CA 90505, the undersigned inventor and the ASSIGNOR herein, have invented PROTECTIVE CASE, for which I am filing an application for Letters Patent of the United States concurrently herewith, and of which inventions and improvements I am the sole owner; and

WHEREAS, Pelican Products, Inc., is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, having a place of business at 23215 Early Avenue, Torrance, CA 90505, the ASSIGNEE herein, desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions, applications and Letters Patent to be granted and issued thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) by the ASSIGNEE to me paid, and other valuable consideration, the receipt and legal sufficiency of all of which is hereby acknowledged, I, the said ASSIGNOR, have sold and do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions and all improvements thereon, in and to said application for Letters Patent thereon, in and to applications pertaining to or based upon said inventions and applications, including divisional and continuing applications and continuations-in-part, and in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted and issued on said inventions and applications, or any of them, not only for, to and in the United States of America, its territories and possessions, but for, to and in all countries foreign thereto, together with and including all priority rights based upon any and all applications in the United States of America covered by this Assignment.

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And for the above-named considerations, I do hereby authorize and empower the ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, to apply for and obtain, in its or their own names, Letters Patent for the said inventions before competent International Authorities and in any and all countries foreign to the United States in which applications for Letters Patent can be so made or Letters Patent so obtained.

Dated: 10/29/01

By   
David H. Parker



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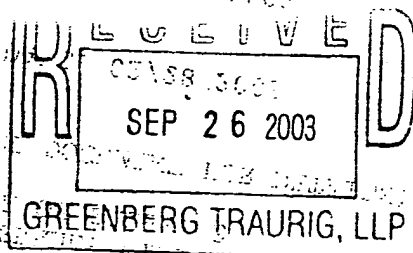
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WHEREAS, WE, JOHN HOVEN and KEVIN DEIGHTON, the undersigned inventors and the ASSIGNORS herein, have invented a device entitled PROTECTIVE CASE, for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States was filed on October 31, 2001, and assigned Serial No.: 10/001,652 and of which inventions and improvements We are the joint owners; and

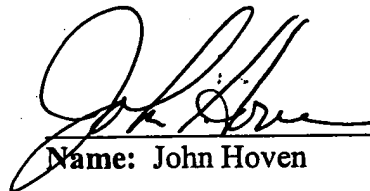
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Date: 2/28/03

  
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Notary Public

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